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SUBJECT: DARFUR/UNAMID: UK ACTIVELY CONSIDERING LIMITED  
SUPPORT TO ETHIOPIAN LOGISTICS UNIT

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(SBU) The UK is "actively considering" limited support for the logistics unit Ethiopia has pledged to UNAMID, Foreign Office Sudan Unit Darfur Desk Officer Duncan Archibald told poloff April 22. Archibald said the UK had provided limited funding to facilitate an Ethiopian visit to Ghana to learn how the Ghanaians undertook a similar deployment. He explained that the UK "is keen to provide funding," but that the UK is "unlikely" to be able to provide a significant contribution. The UK plans to consult internally and make a final decision the week of May 4. Post will work with IO/PSC to provide HMG with a detailed list of Ethiopian equipment needs.

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